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## LOAN ASSOCIATION GOES TO THE WALL

## RECEIVER FOR A MILWAUKEE CORPORATION.

Secretary Sherman Is Told to Take Charge of, and Wind Up Its Affairs—Claims for Nearly Half a Million Are Filed—Some Other State Specials.

Milwaukee, Wis., March 11.—[Special]—The National Building and Loan association of Milwaukee went into the hands of a receiver this morning. Judge Austin appointed Martin W. Sherman, secretary of the association, to take charge of and wind up its affairs.

The two causes that led to the receivership were the inability of the company to make loans, and the fact that it is "land poor," possessing realty that is unproductive, expensive to hold, and for which there is no market at the present time. There are claims outstanding for \$480,000.

## A HAPPY WEDDING AT BELOIT

Victor Johnson of Rockford Weds Miss Louie Clark.

Beloit, March 11—Miss Louie Clark, stepdaughter of Thomas Purves, was married yesterday afternoon, to Victor M. Johnson, a young business man of Rockford, Ill.

Whitewater, Wis., March 11—Miss Annie Carrie Brail was married at the home of the groom, to James S. Cox, the Rev. B. C. Preston officiating.

Miss Maggie Turone was married to Frank Brown of this city. The wedding took place at the residence of Levi Throne, the bride's father, the Rev. W. A. Hall officiating. There were 150 invitations.

## BOWERS' POSTOFFICE ROBBED

Stamps Taken From the Office and Counter From the Store.

Elkhorn, Wis., March 10—The store of C. E. Bowers and the postoffice at Bowers, five miles east of here, was broken into by burglars. The safe was blown open and \$50 in stamps taken. Over \$100 worth of cutlery was stolen from the store. Entrance was gained by breaking a panel in the back door.

Oshkosh Still in Second Class.

Oshkosh, Wis., March 11—There is no longer any hope that the receipts of the local postoffices for the present fiscal year will amount to \$40,000, the figure which must be reached before the office will be promoted to the first class. There will be a shortage of between \$500 and \$600. The office will make an excellent showing, however, but it will remain in the second class for another year at least.

Senator Whitman Named.

Appleton, Wis., March 11—A republican county convention was held to nominate a successor to County Judge G. T. Moesker. The one hundred delegates present were presided over by F. Heinemann. State Senator A. B. Whitman received the nomination on the first formal ballot.

Pension Examiner Resigns.

Green Bay, Wis., March 11—Dr. W. E. Fairchild, secretary of the United States Pension Examining Board of Surgeons of this district was forwarded his resignation to headquarters. He was appointed by ex-President Cleveland.

Payne Wants No Office.

Milwaukee, Wis., March 11.—Henry C. Payne denies the report that he is willing to accept a foreign post under President McKinley. He only wanted one position under the administration, the postmaster generalship, and as that place was not offered to him his friends say he does not intend to accept any other.

National Live Stock Shippers Organize.

Madison, Wis., March 11.—Live stock shippers formed a national organization here Wednesday. W. E. Walter of Charles City, Iowa, being elected president and W. E. Lewis of Patch Grove, Wis., secretary and treasurer. The organization means to combat evils against the trade.

Wisconsin Editors Talk Shop.

Madison, Wis., March 11.—The forty-fourth annual convention of the Wisconsin Press Association convened here Wednesday afternoon with a fair attendance. President C. W. Bowron of the Oshkosh Northwestern gave an able annual address.

Killed His Wife and Her Lover.

Santa Fe, N. M., March 11.—News has reached here that Silverio Martinez and a woman named Sandova were shot and killed at Coyote, Bernallillo county, by the woman's husband, a prominent ranch owner, who returned home unexpectedly and found them together.

Turks Have Superior Force.

Constantinople, March 11.—It is announced here that 55,000 Turkish troops are now concentrated on the Greek frontier and it is understood in Turkish military circles that the Greek forces sent into Thessaly do not exceed 13,000 men of all arms.

## SUGAR SCHEDULES SETTLED.

The Ways and Means Committee Decides on a Retaliatory Duty.

Washington, March 11.—The republican members of the ways and means committee have finished their work on the sugar schedule and took up the woolen schedule. On the latter they came to no definite decisions, but the points in the sugar schedule which had been reserved were decided. The differential was fixed at one-eighth of a cent a pound on sugar above No. 16 Dutch standard. This was thought to be a sufficient allowance to cover the difference between the cost of refining in the United States and other countries, where sugar is free.

What amounts to a retaliatory duty against bounty-paying countries was agreed upon. It is in the form of an additional duty to be levied on sugar imported from those countries which pay bounties equivalent to the net amount of the bounties—that is, the amount of the bounty less any internal taxes levied on the sugar in the country whence it comes. This provision leaves it with the executive officers to fix the tariffs on sugars from bounty-paying countries and to decide what the net amounts of bounties paid by foreign governments are.

## Plasterers' Lockout Is Off.

Chicago, March 11.—At a meeting of the Employing Plasterers' Association the lockout of plasterers, hodcarriers and building laborers which was inaugurated Monday morning in an effort to reduce wages was officially declared off, and the men were invited to return to their old places and under the old conditions.

The men are willing to return to work for their old wages, but say they can deal with the contractors only as individuals, and will not treat with the association because it had violated the agreement which was in force at the time the lockout began.

## Illinois Legislature.

Springfield, Ill., March 11.—Representative Brignadello introduced a bill Wednesday providing that the minimum wages paid to laborers working on state contracts shall be \$2 per day.

In the Senate a number of bills were reported back from committees and several petitions were presented. One by Senator Stubblefield was from the railroad employees of Bloomington, asking that the railway bill fixing the maximum rate of fare at 2 cents per mile do not pass.

## More Cuts in Wages Postponed.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 11.—The employees of the Keystone Rolling-Mill Company of this city and the Standard Manufacturing Company of Allegheny have been notified of a reduction in wages of from 10 to 20 per cent. About 900 men are employed in the two plants. There will be no strike.

The Pennsylvania Tube Works also posted notice in their mill announcing a general reduction of 10 per cent. One thousand men are affected. The men will probably submit to the cut.

## Michigan Legislature.

Lansing, Mich., March 11.—After a sharp engagement the senate passed the bill repealing the law taxing real estate mortgages. The bill was first amended, however, so as to exempt from taxation mortgages on Michigan real estate only, and so as to make it unlawful to charge more than 7 per cent interest for loans on real estate security. The house committee has recommended the passage of the Chamberlain bill prohibiting the manufacture, sale or use of cigarettes in this state.

## Church Burners in Iowa.

Webster City, Iowa, March 11.—The Evangelical church of Mackey was burned to the ground Wednesday night by incendiaries. This morning the Methodist church was found broken open. The pulpit chair was under a pile of rubbish thoroughly saturated with kerosene. A pile of kindling on the floor burned down and went out without setting the building on fire. Telegrams were sent to Des Moines, Omaha and other points for bloodhounds to track the incendiaries, but none could be procured.

## Irish Nationalists to Convene.

New York, March 11.—A call for another convention of Irish Nationalists in the United States will be issued in a few days by the leaders of the Irish National Alliance. It promises to be more important than any meeting that has preceded it. The only question to be settled before the call is issued is the place for holding the convention. Half a dozen cities are anxious for it. A determined effort is being made to have the convention thoroughly representative.

## Pingree's Case in Court.

Lansing, Mich., March 11.—Attorney General Maynard has been ordered by the supreme court to show cause forthwith why he should not be required to begin quo-warranto proceedings to determine the right of Gov. Pingree to act as mayor of Detroit. The showing will be made today.

## Mysterious Shooting at Chicago.

Chicago, March 11.—Mrs. C. Bragg, sister-in-law of General Bragg of Wisconsin, aged 47 years, is at St. Luke's Hospital with a bullet wound in her head. The woman's 16-year-old foster daughter, Josephine, is in the custody of the Stanton avenue police, pending investigation into the shooting, which is somewhat of a mystery.

## SPAIN NOW READY TO GIVE UP CUBA

## GOVERNMENT SEEKS PEACE AT ANY TERMS.

Order Gen. Weyler to Seek Out Gomez and Offer Him Inducements to End the War—Afraid of American Sentiments—No Details Are Known.

Chicago, March 11.—The Record publishes the following dispatch from its special correspondent in Cuba:

Havana, March 10.—From information received I can announce positively that Capt.-Gen. Weyler has had orders to seek Gomez and to offer him "whatever terms are necessary to end the war." The details are unknown, but it is believed they extend all the way from autonomy to the sale of the island to the Cubans. It is said Spain will grant anything to obtain peace with honor before the new congress takes hold. This, of course, will be denied, but it is known positively that it is true. At a banquet at the palace Gen. Weyler said publicly the war would be over in three weeks. He left at noon today for Villa Clara, where large bodies of troops have been rushed for the last two days for the purpose of seeking Gomez and to make terms for peace.

The steps leading to this result are interesting. Gen. Weyler returned to Havana on the 6th inst., and reported to Spain by cable. He admitted that Gomez and Carillo had crossed his lines, and were now west of his forces. He explained that he had tried to negotiate with Gomez, but the latter had refused to treat with him, and would only treat with Campos, and that for independence. It is believed he added that the situation was desperate. He asked for orders. Meanwhile it is whispered Duque de Lome made worse reports to Spain concerning the temper of the new congress which will meet on the 15th. He said even Cleveland had been scarcely able to restrain the last congress. This one will be worse. He referred to Cleveland's message of possible intervention, and said McKinley would probably think the time had come. He certainly was not so friendly to Spain as Cleveland had been. He declared that something must be done soon.

Gen. Weyler received a long dispatch on the 8th. It was of such a character that he declared it would end the war in a month. It instructs him, it is said, to renew his efforts to secure peace. He must try enormous bribes. That failing, he is to offer autonomy. If that is refused, he must even offer to sell the island to the Cubans on guarantee bonds. He must make peace, on any terms almost, before congress has time to act. If he fails he will be recalled. Meanwhile the United States must be kept quiet to successive releases among those imprisoned.

## Death of Ex-Senator Dolph.

Portland, Ore., March 11.—Ex-Senator Joseph N. Dolph died at 11:30 o'clock Wednesday. On Monday his leg was amputated in the hope of saving his life, which was threatened by blood-poisoning. The shock was too great, and at no time since the operation had there been a possibility of his recovery. Joseph N. Dolph was born in Watkins, N. Y., in 1835, and came to Oregon in 1862. In 1882 he was elected United States senator, and served two full terms. Since his retirement from the United States senate Mr. Dolph had practiced law in Portland.

## Town Nearly Wiped Out by Wind.

Perry, O. T., March 11.—A destructive cyclone a mile wide struck Ralston, a small town in the Osage Indian nation, Tuesday night and great damage was done. Nearly every house in town and in the path of the storm was blown down. Many persons were found wounded, but no lives were lost. A storm struck the town four months ago and came near wiping it out, and just as the repairs were complete destruction came.

## Claims Against Southern Pacific.

Frankfort, Ky., March 11.—Attorney General Taylor on Wednesday filed four suits against the Southern Pacific railroad for penalties in failing to report to the Kentucky state officers. The Southern Pacific was organized under the laws of Kentucky and not long ago compromised a heavy claim for franchise taxes on which the state threatened to sue. The present claims aggregate \$132,000.

## Visible Supply of Grain.

New York, March 11.—Following is Bradstreet's weekly report of changes in the visible supply of grain in the United States and Canada: Wheat—United States and Canada, east of Rockies, decreased 1,250,000 bushels. Corn—United States and Canada, east of Rockies, decreased 372,000 bushels. Oats—United States and Canada, east of Rockies, decreased 533,000 bushels.

## Alaskan Line Treaty Report.

Washington, March 11.—The Senate committee on foreign relations agreed Wednesday to report the Alaskan boundary treaty with Great Britain without amendment or change. The arbitration treaty was not considered, but will be taken up Friday. It was the opinion that the treaty would result to the advantage of the United States.

## FIGHTING IS BEGUN BECAUSE OF CRETE

## TURKS OPEN THE BALL WITH SOLID SHOT.

The Battle Lasts All Day at Izmir, Suda Bay—Further Reports of the Trouble at Candamo—Latest News From Crete—British Troops In Readiness.

London, March 11.—The Daily Telegraph's correspondent at Canea says that early on Wednesday morning the water supply of the Turkish fortress at Izmir, Suda bay, was cut off by the insurgents, in spite of the firing of the Turkish warships. The Turkish garrison then attacked the insurgents, and the fighting continued all day.

At Selino during the embarkation the insurgents who had followed assumed a menacing attitude and set fire to the town. The marines were ordered to fire a volley into the air, and an Italian vessel fired a shell, in order to drive the insurgents back from the shore.

Capt. Rainier of H. M. S. Rodney reports that the insurgents acted fairly at Candamo, but that an armed rabble followed the refugees to the coast and tried to rush into Selino.

A dispatch to the Times from Canea says it turns out that the British and Italian transports, which made their appearance suddenly at the port (Canea) Tuesday morning, are not, as was then believed, British, but were other vessels bringing food supplies and refugees.

There is no confirmation of the report that two Italian volunteers have been killed at Hierapetra by shells from an Italian cruiser during the recent fighting.

It is rumored that the troops of Col. Vassos in the interior are suffering from hunger, and have been reduced to a diet of biscuits and oranges.

The Times, commenting on the news from Canea, says that ex-Commodore Reineck appears to have assumed the responsibility of suppressing the joint remonstrance of Europe, which he had undertaken to make known to the insurgent chiefs, and adds that there are hardly words strong enough to characterize this treacherous action.

## British Troops In Readiness.

London, March 11.—It is stated here that secret orders have been received for the First army corps, including the York and Lancaster regiment, the Essex regiment, and the Suffolk regiment, to prepare for service in the Mediterranean if required.

## HE SEES NO NEED FOR TROOPS

Governor of Utah Says the Uncompahgre Scare Is Unalled For.

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## Kentucky Trust Company Fails.

Louisville, Ky., March 11.—The German Safety Vault and Trust company has made an assignment. The failure was caused by the suspension of the German National bank, in which the trust company was a large depositor. The capital stock is \$200,000. The last statement placed the assets and liabilities at \$271,136.16 each. It is thought that stockholders will realize 50 cents on the dollar.

## Joline Buys the Monon.

Indianapolis, March 11.—The Monon railroad was sold Wednesday in this city. It was bought by H. H. Joline of New York, who bid for the reorganization committee, consisting of Frederick P. Olcott, H. C. Rouse and Henry W. Poor, all of New York. The price was \$3,001,000.

The road will be reorganized about May 1, and will be known as the Chicago, Indianapolis and Louisville railroad.

## Still Searching for Bodies.

Zacatecas, Mex., March 11.—The search for the dead bodies in the San Francisco mine, near Sombrerito, this state, continues. One hundred and five bodies have been recovered and 65 miners are still missing. Nearly all of the bodies were buried so as to be unrecognizable. The government has sent a representative to the mine to make an investigation into the cause of the fire.

## Bismarck's Severe Rebuke.

Berlin, March 11.—Prince Bismarck's organ severely condemns the participation of Germany in the Cretan question. It says: "It is not correct policy to risk the sound bones of even a single German soldier for oriental interests, which are not ours, or from alleged Christian and humanitarian motives, such as Great Britain uses to cloak their efforts to advance her own interests."

## Found Guilty of Murder.

Auburn, Neb., March 11.—The jury in the second trial of J. W. Argabright sentenced in 1893 to ten years' imprisonment for the killing of his father-in-law, Wm. Smelzer, after being out four hours, brought in a verdict of murder in the first degree and recommended life imprisonment as the punishment.

## DEATH LIST NOT COMPLETE

Details of the Fatal Accident Near Evansville, Ind.

Princeton, Ind., March 11.—The village of Hazleton was the scene of a railroad disaster Wednesday morning. Train No. 5, on the Evansville & Terre Haute railroad, due in this city at 2:10 a. m., while running at the rate of twenty-five miles an hour, struck a washout, wrecking the entire train and killing at least five men, and probably twelve to fifteen. The exact number may never be known. Those known to be dead are:

GEORGE A. SEARS, conductor.  
JOSEPH BOLEMAN, fireman.  
HERBERT ALLEN of Evansville, doorkeeper in the last legislature at Indianapolis.

UNKNOWN TRAVELING MAN from Fort Wayne, Ind.

**SAY THE FISH LAW  
IS NOT JUST RIGHT**  
TOO MUCH PROTECTION IS  
GIVEN GAME FISH.

Open Season Should Begin on May 1  
Instead of on May 20, Local Sports-  
Men Think, as In These Waters  
the Spawning Time Is Passed on  
Former Date.

Janesville fishermen are not exactly  
suited with the new game law, which  
makes the open season for all game  
fish begin on May 20. They insist  
that pike, black bass and pickerel  
do not need protection after May 1  
and that the new law while an im-  
provement over the old one, stops all  
fishing at the time the sport is best.

Protects Harmless Birds.

In section 31 the killing of harmless  
birds is prohibited, and the following  
section makes it unlawful to destroy  
the eggs of any water fowl or bird  
except crows and sparrows. The usual  
provision against interfering with  
homing pigeons is contained in section  
33, and section 34 which is new, pro-  
hibits the use of ferrets in hunting  
rabbits, and provides for the protection  
of fur bearing animals. Another new  
section prohibits hunters and their  
dogs from entering fields where grain  
is growing without the consent of the  
owner. Section 36 makes it unlawful  
to have in possession any game or fish  
during the closed season, or for any  
hotel, restaurant or boarding house to  
serve to the guests fish or game out  
of season.

Section 37 prohibits the sale or pur-  
chase of fish and game during the  
closed season, and the next section  
makes it the duty of dealers to notify  
the wardens of offers of game for sale  
during the closed season. The trans-  
portation problem is grappled with in  
section 39. In general terms it pro-  
hibits the transportation of fish and  
game out of season and fixes a limit  
to the amount that can be shipped out  
of the state during the open season.  
The same section prohibits the  
sale of ducks of any variety,  
snipe or plover,  
between December 1 and September 1, making  
the selling season five times shorter  
than the hunting season for those  
birds.

Exceptions For Collectors.

The usual exceptions for collectors  
for scientific societies is made by sec-  
tion 40. The following four sections  
relate to the work of the fish commis-  
sion and are of no special interest to  
the public. Section 45 releases the  
wardens from all liability for property  
destroyed in the performance of other  
duties under the provisions of the law.  
The pollution of lakes and streams is  
prohibited by section 46, and section  
47 enumerates the public nuisances,  
which are nets that are prohibited by  
law, sneak boats, traps, swivel guns,  
set guns, dogs in certain cases, etc.

**BROMLEY IS SERIOUSLY ILL**

Milwaukee Railway Agent Lying in a  
Chicago Hospital.

W. W. Bromley, Milwaukee agent  
of the Big Four line, is lying in St.  
Luke's hospital, Chicago, in a very  
precious condition. He came to  
Chicago Sunday to meet his wife and  
mother who were to arrive from the  
south. On the way to the Illinois  
Central depot he was taken sick. At  
the depot he was stricken with paraly-  
sis and was at once removed to St.  
Luke's hospital. His condition has  
not improved since he was first  
stricken and at times it has been a  
question if he would live from hour to  
hour. His right side is completely  
paralyzed and the left side is partially  
so. Mrs. Bromley is with him. Last  
night his condition was as encouraging  
as at any time since he was taken  
to the hospital. Mr. Bromley is well  
known in this city.

Hard Facts.

No store in Chicago can show you  
a line of dress goods and silks better  
suited to your needs. The variety we  
show of dress goods, within reach of  
Janesville people, is great. We refer  
to goods at 25, 37½, 50, 60, 75, 87½  
cents, \$1.00, \$1.25, 1.50. The high  
priced goods that you cannot afford to  
buy, make medium priced goods seem  
doubtful, but the real hard facts are:

If the styles are new and  
desirable they are higher than you  
can buy the same qualities for right  
at home. We are showing perfectly  
beautiful styles in dress goods and  
silks. J. M. Bostwick & Sons.

Home Seekers' Excursions.

Home Seekers' round trip excursion  
tickets to points in Iowa, Minnesota,  
the Dakotas, Northern Wisconsin, Mis-  
souri, Nebraska, New Mexico, Texas,  
Mississippi, Louisiana, Georgia, Indian  
Territory, Kansas, Arkansas, Al-  
abama. In Florida on the Louisville  
& Nashville railroad North and South  
Carolina, Oklahoma, Tennessee, Ken-  
tucky and western portion of Colorado  
will be sold by the Chicago, Milwau-  
kee & St. Paul railway at half fare  
plus \$2.00 on January 5 and 19, Febru-  
ary 2 and 16, March 2 and 16 and  
April 6 and 20, 1897.

Teachers' Examinations.

Second superintendent district, Rock  
county, Wis., Third grade branches—  
Clinton, March 19 and 20; Milton,  
March 29 and 30; Afton, April 5 and  
6. All grades—Janesville, April 30  
and May 1. Examinations will begin  
at 9 o'clock a.m. DAVID THRONE,  
County Superintendent.

Call for it at Burt, Bailey & Co.  
Call for it today—the Butterick Fashion  
sheet for April—just received and  
to be had for the asking. It abounds  
in the best up-to-date ideas in dress-  
practical ideas, too, and all embodied  
in handy helps—the Butterick pat-  
terns.

Awarded  
Highest Honors—World's Fair.

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**PRICE'S  
CREAM  
BAKING  
POWDER**  
MOST PERFECT MADE.  
A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free  
from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant.  
40 Years the Standard.

THE PROGRAM FOR TONIGHT  
PRAYER meetings.  
SEAT Sale for "Dr. Bill."  
SPECIAL meeting Independent Order  
of Foresters.

JANESEVILLE Commandery No. 2,  
Knights Templar.

BOWER City Temple No. 3, Patri-  
archal Circle.

CIGAR Makers' Union.

MARRIED Folks Dancing club.

CITY NEWS IN A PARAGRAPH

Mrs. AL KNEFF is ill.

This is prayer meeting night.

This is the second Thursday in the  
month.

The Cigar makers' union will meet  
tonight.

Miss LIBBIE STOLLER is visiting at  
Edgerton.

Miss CORA SUTHERLAND is home  
after a visit at Clinton.

Good calico wrappers, well made  
for 69 cents at Hoffmaster's.

BOWER City Temple No. 2, Patriarchal  
Circle, will meet this evening.

Miss PEABODY WILCOX of Clinton, vis-  
ited local friends last evening.

THREE typewriter salesmen and  
four bicycle agents were in town to-  
day.

A SOCIAL will be given at the Con-  
gregational church parlors tomorrow  
evening.

This is the regular meeting night  
for Janesville Commandery, No. 3,  
Knights Templar.

The sale of seats for "Dr. Bill"  
will open at the box office at 7  
o'clock last evening.

Mrs. C. D. STEVENS and son and  
Miss Hattie George are expected  
from Washington next week.

The members of the Married Folks  
Dancing club will join in a social party  
this evening, at Concordia hall.

The officers, teachers and scholars  
of the Presbyterian Sunday school will  
hold a jubilee on Tuesday evening  
March 16.

Mrs. RICHARD BARRELL of Hancock,  
Mich., is visiting her uncle and aunt,  
Mr. and Mrs. George K. Colling, South  
Bluff street.

The Good Templars had a merry  
time at the home of Miss Hattie Ward  
last evening, the event being a  
"blower social."

A SPECIAL meeting of the Independ-  
ent Order of Foresters will be held  
this evening at their hall in the  
Court Street block at 8 o'clock.

SPECIAL inducement for a few days.  
Good linen twilled toweling at 4½  
cents a yard at Hoffmaster's. No  
more than ten yards to each cus-  
tomer.

MEMBERS of the Art League are busy  
arranging for their annual exhibition,  
which will be held at the home of  
Mrs. J. F. Pember tomorrow afternoon  
and evening.

MEMBERS of the Royal Purple club  
were the guests of Mrs. Lyman Morse,  
at the home of Mrs. C. W. Brooks, this  
afternoon and the session was a very  
pleasant one.

Tour of Old Mexico.

Under escort of American Tourist  
association Beau Campbell, General  
manager. January 15 and February  
27. Sleeping and dining cars and  
special baggage cars through all the  
tour without change. More miles and  
days in Mexico, more cities and towns  
than ever offered. Tickets include all  
expenses, sleeping and dining cars, hotels,  
etc. Apply to any ticket agent of the  
Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul rail-  
way for further particulars.

The Hot springs

located in the Black Hills of South Da-  
kota have wonderful medicinal prop-  
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should be investigated by all suffering  
from such troubles. First class hotel  
accommodations and baths. Tourist  
tickets on sale daily and especially  
low rates on the first and third Tues-  
days of each month. Full information  
furnished on application to ticket  
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## NEW LIGHT ON ARMENIANS.

**Y. Hopkinson Smith Just Returned from the Land of the Turk.**

F. Hopkinson Smith, in the New York Herald, writes of the condition of affairs in Turkey. "There are 100,000 Armenians in Constantinople alone, and every one of them is an anarchist and a plotter at heart," he says. "We are the only people who open our doors to them. We do not know them. They should either be kept out or sent back as fast as they arrive. Few of them deserve our sympathy. I do not speak lightly. I know for a fact that they themselves have been responsible for every so-called outrage committed against them in Turkey. For years they have plotted and schemed and sent out false reports against the Turkish government. The Roumanians, their nearest neighbors, know them and will have nothing to do with them. They are not allowed to land in that country. They have to-day the same rights in Turkey that any people of foreign religion have. They want more. They want to govern the country. They think that when the empire is divided some one of the Christian sets would govern it under foreign guidance and they think they will be selected. The leaders, many of whom are foreigners, care not how many of their countrymen are sacrificed if this result could be secured. Can you blame the Turk for defending his country and his home? Pick up almost any English newspaper and you will find accounts of Turkish atrocities. These accounts are inspired by the Armenian revolutionary committee. They do not contain an atom of truth. They pervert the facts from first to last, yet when the English people read their papers they throw up their hands in horror and call the Turk a barbarian. And yet the Turk is only doing what any other people of spirit on earth would do under similar circumstances. Self-defense is the first law of nature and the defense of one's country is very near to it, and I think the sultan deserves the sympathy of every right-minded man for his defense of his country and of law and order. It is a grand, noble and plucky fight for him to make and he is doing it admirably. His treasury is almost empty and his soldiers are serving without any other pay than the recompense of pure patriotism. I studied the matter thoroughly while in Turkey. I studied it from both sides and from all angles and I have almost come to the conclusion that the only good Armenian is a dead Armenian."

## THE QUEEN OF HOLLAND.

**She Wants to Select Her Own Husband.**

Regarding the many rumors as to the marriage of the young Queen of Holland, she has asserted herself as anxious to remain unmarried as long as possible, and has more than once recently expressed her determination to have a decisive voice in the choice of her future husband. The governess of certain young ladies, says a correspondent in the Pall Mall Gazette, who are the Queen's constant companions, states that the Queen recently made the following remark: "I am very fond of my subjects and I hope to please them in every way, but if they think they are to have a voice in the selection of my future husband, they never made a greater mistake. If they take any extreme measures I shall be more determined than ever, for I am resolved they must not coerce me into a marriage which is distasteful. I shall not marry unless I am allowed some voice in the matter."

An interesting anecdote concerning the young Queen's patriotism was told me by some ladies who knew her. It appears that during a recent visit to a foreign court the young Sovereign asked her own ambassador if he had any daughters. He replied in the affirmative. "Then do send for them at once, for I do wish to see some Dutch girls and talk Dutch." "But Your Majesty," said the embarrassed ambassador, "my daughters only speak—, as they were born in this country and not in Holland." "Then do not send for them; I do not want to see any Dutch girls who cannot speak Dutch," was the curt reply.

## Burglars Escaped on Bicycles.

Bicycles were important factors in the escape of two burglars who entered the E. C. Minas Hardware company's store in Hammond, Ind., Sunday morning. Entrance was effected by prying the hinges from the elevator door. Attempts were made to crack the safe, but in this the men were unsuccessful. They carried off two shot-guns, a pair of revolvers and a quantity of ammunition. The bicycles on which they made their escape were stolen from the store. Attempts were also made to enter Pitzel's clothing store, but a dog scared the men off. The police believe Chicago talent is responsible for the job.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

## The Christian Life.

The Christian life is the peaceful life. It is the life of trust and hope. It is the life of fellowship with God and of obedience to His will. Its blessing is "the peace of God which passeth all understanding." Those who truly possess Christ's peace are delivered from torturing care, needless anxieties, and unbelieving fears. To learn this secret of Jesus is one of the greatest things in life.—Ex.

## A Health.

I fill this cup to one made up of loneliness alone, A woman, of her gentle sex The seeming paragon; To whom the better elements And kindly stars have given A form so fair, that like the air, 'Tis less of earth than heaven.—Edward C. Pinckney.

## THE CZAR'S TRAIN.

**Peaderous Strength and Massiveness of the Saloons.**

One cannot fail to be impressed with the ponderous strength of the eleven huge saloons, says the London Daily Telegraph. In build they have the appearance of being made of massive steel, and it is remarkable how few are the windows permitted to each "coach." When railway carriages were first constructed one window on each side to each compartment was the allowance. The czar is content with less light. The deficiency is hardly made up by that derived from the clearstory roof, for in a long vehicle measuring sixty-five feet there are not more than five small windows. These are all on one side and can be instantly shuttered. Extreme solidity, massive gun-metal bearings, which are carefully examined by stolid Russian attendants from time to time, most complete warming apparatus and absolutely strict seclusion are the characteristics of the imperial train. It is painted a black-blue, with a thin beading of gold, and, except for very small gold double-headed eagles at intervals, there is no decoration. Everything is plain, severe and self-contained. Flexible and collapsible gangways, on the latest corridor principle, connect the carriages. One can imagine this train snowed up or besieged and yet its occupants secure and their comforts served by the resources of the train in all departments, from the kitchen to the boudoir. Nor is the train limited to one gauge, for its axles are readily adjustable, so that the czar may always take his traveling house with him, no matter upon what line of continental railway he may journey. Still, there is no parade of its luxury—the almost dead walls of the carriage concealing their interiors from the eyes of the curious. Such is the train which M. Kopschine, the engineer of Russian railways, has now in responsible charge. Its weight, length and dimensions assign it to the heaviest rolling-stock in the world, and therefore among the safest; for collisions have shown that the more solidly built a carriage is the less disposed it is to "telescope."

## THE FIRST CARRIAGE IN MAINE

**How a Minister Came to Buy It and Why He Sold It.**

The Rev. Francis Winter was a native of Boston and graduate of Harvard college, says the Lewiston Journal. He went to Bath early in 1767, and after preaching on probation for the orthodox church was invited to settle, which invitation he accepted. He was ordained in the autumn of the same year. He went to Bath on horseback in company with Lemuel Standish. Mr. Winter came from Boston, where he had associated with such eminent men as Adams, Otis and Warren, himself becoming an ardent patriot, taking the lead in the revolutionary measures adopted in Bath during that memorable period. Mr. Winter married Miss Abigail Alden in 1768, and it is through her that the Winters of to-day trace their ancestry back to the "purtain maiden of Plymouth." Three years after the marriage of the Rev. Francis Winter and Abigail Alden they started to visit a sister of Mrs. Winter, living in Connecticut, and intended to ride all the way on horseback, but Mrs. Winter became so fatigued that Mr. Winter sold one of the horses for a carriage and harness. It was the first carriage that ever came into Maine and was called a chaise. Traveling was so difficult that two negroes were employed to accompany them with shovels and axes to clear the road. Several times the chaise had to be taken apart and lifted over fallen trees. The minister's parishioners thought that it was putting on too much style for their pastor to ride in a carriage, and in consequence Mr. Winter sold it. This was in 1771. It was a two-wheeled chaise, the body resting on leather braces, which were attached to wooden springs.

## They Both Voted.

Admiral Jouett lives at Sandy Springs, Md., where the roads are no better than elsewhere in Dixie. He is an ardent republican, although a son of the blue grass state; and last election, when heavy rains had made the roads almost impassable, he shamed the stay-at-homes by taking his son, James, Jr., through the mud and downpour to their voting place. The journey home in the dark, swimming through mud to the hubs, was so disquieting that they arrived profane and exhausted. "Well," said the admiral, "thank heaven, that's over. We've had a hard pull of it, but it is the duty of every citizen of the United States to vote. Say, Jim," he ejaculated, fiercely, "I voted the straight republican ticket, as usual. How did you vote?" "Father, we might as well have stayed at home and paired," replied the son; "I voted straight democratic."

## Dew.

At evening, when the noise of life is done, And Earth lets fall her labors with the sun,

And calls her children, weary with their play,

In from the busy tumult, one by one, How tenderly the heat and hurts of day

Wife—Yes you did. You dear old boy, you let a poor old Irishman have it. For I heard you say in your sleep: "Oh, that's all right, I'll stand Pat."—Charles G. D. Roberts in Lippincott's.

## Her Own Fault.

"It is true that the poor girl died of love," said Cupid; "but really, I think no blame attaches to me. I know I used an arrow intended for men only, but when you observe the way she was dressed you must admit that the mistake was pardonable." Cincinnati Enquirer.

## OPPIUM IN INDIA.

**Interesting Tour in the Slums of the City by the Hughll.**

A writer in the London Globe thus describes a tour among the opium smokers of the metropolis of the Hughll: First, then, through absolute darkness, where we blindly followed the swinging light ahead, between rows of native huts, the eaves of which on either side almost overlapped, so closely were they packed, to a miserable den where some habitual smokers were easily distinguished, gaunt and hollow-cheeked. Our entrance seemed to cause no surprise. Perhaps a listless glance would be thrown in our direction, but what a change when a pipe was ready and handed to a smoker! There was something terrible in the eagerness with which they inhaled the smoke. It is a tedious process; each pipe holds but a drop of opium, which, when prepared, is in a soft, sticky state. This, held on the point of a wire over a flame till it swells to several times its natural size and takes light, is pushed into the little clay bowl, which, with a straight stem of bamboo, forms the pipe. Three or four powerful draws exhausts the charge. The seasoned smoker will smoke several of these pipes before he falls asleep. Having seen how it was used, it was interesting to come on one of the shops where the prepared opium is sold. It was the property of some very amusing and friendly Chinamen; possibly the friendly spirit they showed was aroused somewhat by seeing with whom we were. Evidently the customers, of whom there was no lack, were viewed with distrust, as they were admitted only to a cage-like inclosure in front of the counter, from which there ran up to the ceiling stout wooden bars. These people buy the pure opium at the government auctions and then prepare and retail it to their emaciated customers, to whom, needless to say, no credit is given. The worst feature of the habit is that the victim will stop at nothing which may enable him to get the drug. Evidently we were in the Chinese quarter of the town, for we were taken on through many turnings of squallid streets to where some of these lovers of roast pig were gambling. Our arrival seemed to alarm some of them—probably new hands—who thought they were doing something very wicked, whereas the habitués knew that this mild form of betting—the stakes were very small—was winked at by the authorities. Their chief game was extraordinary for the remarkable skill shown by the croupier. A number of cowries were thrown on the table, perhaps a couple of hundred or so, and partly hidden by an inverted saucer being placed over as many as it might cover, that one might have as little idea of the actual number as possible. The shells were then rapidly raked away in lots of three and the player bet whether three, two or one would be left. When perhaps this number had been removed in this manner the saucer was lifted to get at the rest.

## THE SWAN AND THE CRANE.

**Mr. Moody Employs a Striking Fable to Illustrate His Teachings on Sin.**

The Ladies' Home Journal presents the initial paper of Dwight L. Moody, in "Mr. Moody's Bible Class" series, in which the famous evangelist treats of the redemption from sin, and employs the legend of the swan and the crane to emphasize his teaching. "It seems that a beautiful swan alighted by the banks of the water in which a crane was wading about seeking snails. For a few moments the crane viewed the swan in stupid wonder and then inquired: 'Where do you come from?' I come from heaven!" replied the swan. "And where is heaven?" asked the crane. "Heaven!" said the swan. "Heaven! have you never heard of heaven?" And the beautiful bird went on to describe the grandeur of the eternal city. She told of streets of gold, and the gates and walls made of precious stones; of the river of life, pure as crystal and upon whose banks are the trees whose leaves shall be for the healing of the nations. In eloquent terms the swan sought to describe the hosts who live in the other world, but without arousing the slightest interest on the part of the crane. Finally the crane asked: "Are there any snails there?" "Snails!" repeated the swan. "No! Of course there are not." Then said the crane, as it continued its search along the slimy banks of the pool, "you can have your heaven. I will search for snails." This fable is but a mirror. How many a young person to whom God has granted the advantages of a Christian home, has turned his back upon it and searched for snails. How many a man will sacrifice his home, his wife, his family, his all, for the snails of sin. How many a girl has deliberately turned from the love of parents and home to learn too late that heaven has been forfeited for snails."

## DISRAELI'S IDEA OF GREATNESS

**How the Test of It Was Realized in Later Years.**

When Disraeli was curly and smart and comparatively unknown he visited the Royal Exchange of Liverpool in company with Mr. Duncan Stewart, a leading merchant of the city, says Youth's Companion. It was at high noon and the exchange was thronged by merchants. The scene so impressed the young member of parliament that he said to Mr. Stewart: "My idea of greatness would be that a man should receive the applause of such an assemblage as this—that he should be cheered as he came into this room." Disraeli went in and came out unnoticed, but several years later he again visited the Liverpool exchange in company with Mr. Stewart. His entrance was greeted by a cheer which spread into a roar and ended in an ovation. The testimony to his political prominence deeply moved Disraeli, who, recalling to Mr. Stewart the remark he had made years before, said: "My ideal test of greatness has been realized."

## Paying Inventions.

The idea of copper-toed shoes was patented January 5, 1858, by a Maine genius, who made \$100,000 out of it. Another similar invention which made a great deal of money was the metal button fastener for shoes, invented and introduced by Heaton, of Providence, R. I. At the time it was considered a fine invention, for the old sewed button was continually coming off. It has gradually grown in popularity since its introduction, 1869, until now very few shoes with buttons on are manufactured without the Heaton improvement and appliances.

## A Give Away.

Wife (at breakfast)—Oh, John! I'll bet I know whom you gave your seat to coming home in the car last night.

John (who had been out all night having a quiet little game with the boys)—Oh, don't be so foolish. How could you ever guess? Are you a mind reader? I don't believe I gave up my seat at all.

Wife—Yes you did. You dear old boy, you let a poor old Irishman have it.

For I heard you say in your sleep: "Oh, that's all right, I'll stand Pat."—Charles G. D. Roberts in Lippincott's.

## His Labor Lost.

A story is told of a literary man who spent two months talking good marketable literary matter into a phonograph and then, when he attempted to have his work transcribed to manuscript, discovered that the machine was out of order and his two months' labor was lost.—New York Tribune.

## ADVICE TO NEWLY MARRIED.

**Fatal and Vulgar Habits That Kill Love and Confidence.**

I asked a clever, well-known doctor only to-day what advice he would give the newly married. "I would tell the woman," he said, "never to let her husband think he had quite won her, that there was not still something held in reserve to give him. A woman never seems to think she ought to be fascinating to her husband after marriage." He lectured the woman, of course. There is a universal tendency in mankind to do this. Yet another doctor I know once said in my hearing that he believed from all he had seen that the happiness of marriage depended primarily upon the man. Were he worth anything, the peace of the household was assured. Letters to the newly married, then, should be addressed to both. There is much that might be said. First of all, that neither take the devotion of the other for granted, making no effort to cultivate or retain what each felt to be a due. There is nothing one should kill quicker in marriage than the first tendency in either one to discuss the peculiarities of the other before a third person. Nothing is more fatal and nothing is more vulgar. No one can ever take a greater liberty with the other. These personalities are never funny, though they are often made to do service as family jokes brought out for the entertainment of the stranger. Were I to write such a letter as that mother described I should like to beg that nagging be prohibited, and teasing secrets; that mutual concessions be indulged; that every disappointment in the other be regarded as an opportunity for helping that other, and not as an excuse for alienation; and I should beg that the one who had a trouble share it with the other, so that neither go about with evidences of worry while declaring that nothing is the matter. "Oh, nothing!" in answer to a loving inquiry from husband or wife sensitive to disturbed conditions in one loved is often the first wedge which ultimately drives both apart.—Harper's Bazar.

## Not the Right One.

"That young man who wants to be our press agent looks like a pretty bright fellow," said the manager. "Has he any special qualifications for the job?"

"Why, I understand he has the reputation of being an accurate descriptive writer."

"Accurate!" cried the manager. "Great mackerel! that won't do at all!"—Chicago Post.

## Sufficient Credentials.

Careful Parent—Before I can give consent to your proposed marriage to my daughter I must know something about your character.

Suitor—Certainly, sir, certainly.

Careful Parent (after a glance)—Take her, my son, and be happy.—N. Y. Weekly.

## The Composer That Failed.

He'd compose with greatest ease Songs and dances sure to please,

Even an opera or an oratorio maybe;

But though he tried for hours

To and fro upon the floor,

Trying tunes ne'er heard before,

He never, somehow, could compose—

—Brooklyn Life.

## A VICTIM OF IMPOSITION.



Highway Robber — That miserable fellow keeps me waiting here while he guzzles beer in that saloon. Pretty soon he'll have spent all the money that I was going to rob him of!—Das Kleine Witzblatt.

## Devoutly to Be Wished.

How joy would shine in the human heart

If life seem nothing but fun,

If work looked as little before you start

As it does when you get it done.

—Washington Star.

## Granted the Plea.

Bill the Burglar (after the trial)—Dat dern lawyer spiled de whole bizness fer me.

Murderous Maddigan—How's dat?

Bill the Burglar—By tryin' de sympathetic racket, an' pleadin' wid de judge let me go to me mudder. An' at de same time, dat judge known my muder is doin' seven years.—N. Y. Truth.

## Too Far Back.

Miss Passay—I think this talk about appendicitis is all nonsense. Why, when I was a child I used to swallow grape seeds and all sorts of things without the slightest bad effect.

Miss Rosebud—Yes, but you must remember that appendicitis hadn't been invented then.—Brooklyn Life.

## A Way Women Have.

She—Women are fond of show. They always like to show the things which cost the most.

He—That's why they wear their hats in the theater, I suppose; they usually pay more for their hats than they do for their hair.—Yonkers Statesman.

## His Memory Bad.

"Young man," began the aged gentleman, "I am 70 years old and don't remember having told a lie."

"That's too bad," the young man replied; "can't you have something done for your memory?"—N. Y. Tribune.

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## THIS DAY IN HISTORY.

1731—Robert Treat Paine, "signer," born in Boston; died there 1814.



GORTCHAKOFF.

1820—Benjamin West, American painter, died in London; born in Pennsylvania 1738.

1847—Charles Sumner, statesman, died in Washington city; born in 1811.

1888—Alexander Mikhailovich Gortchakov, Russian prince and statesman, died; born 1798.

1892—Beginning of serious labor troubles in several countries; coal miners of England the first to strike. A fire damp explosion in a mine near Charleroi, Belgium, entombs 214 miners, killing 153.

1895—Worth, the world famous dressmaker of Paris, died; born 1816.

## Republican City Convention.

The Republican city convention will be held at the common council chamber in the city of Janesville, on Wednesday, March 24, 1897, at 2 o'clock p.m., to nominate candidates to vote for at the ensuing municipal election, and to elect a city committee.

Nominations are to be made for the following officers:

Mayor.

Street Commissioner.

City Clerk.

Justice of the Peace.

School Commissioner at Large.

Sealer of Weights and Measures.

The several wards will hold their caucuses on Tuesday evening, March 23, 1897, and elect delegates to said convention as follows:

First Ward—Ten.

Second Ward—Six.

Third Ward—Ten.

Fourth Ward—Eight.

Fifth Ward—Four.

O. F. Nowlan, Chairman.

## THE PRIMARIES.

Spring elections are near at hand. The Twilight club Tuesday night began the complaint which will be heard at intervals for the next four weeks about manipulated caucuses. When a voter talks this way it is pertinent to ask him if he votes at the primaries. In Janesville last November 1874 voters cast their ballots for McKinley. There were 483 in the First ward, 293 in the Second, 499 in the Third, 408 in the Fourth and 191 Fifth. Why should republicans not turn out for the coming primaries in something like this same strength? A thoroughly good government, economically administered, is of great importance to this city—means more in dollars and cents than does any but the gravest national issue. If 1,200 or 1,500 republicans will attend the primaries the primaries will represent the majority and the will of the people will be asserted from the very outset. They ought to do it. Such an event would be an end to the talk of ring rule and would settle contest in a way to command the respect of every one. But after a light vote at the primaries let no abated decline about the evils of bad politics unless he is willing to be reminded that the class to which he belongs is largely responsible for it.

## IT WILL WAIT.

The president evidently thinks that currency reform can wait until the regular session of congress. He is right. The people disposed of the currency question when they made Bryanism impossible. No further danger from that source can come in the near future. Reform is needed, but the country is not suffering seriously present for the want of it. Time will be required to develop the right sort of a remedy for such financial ills as we have. If we get that in a year or two we will have no cause to grumble.

## GROWTH OF THE DEBT.

In the past four years the government's interest bearing debt was increased to the extent of \$262,000,000 by the four bond sales. Nobody supposes that the debt will be reduced to this amount in the next four years, but everybody is quite certain that it will not be advanced a dollar. The probability is that before next year ends Uncle Sam will resume his old practice of paying off his obligations, but they are not in such a good condition to get at as they were along to 1890.

## ALL PUSH.

The fact that everybody is expecting good times to come early, is one reason why they are going to come. This feeling denotes a restoration of confidence, which is an essential preliminary to a business revival. The people—democrats and populists equally with republicans—are showing a hopefulness over the industrial situation which they have not exhibited for over four years past. It is clear that an era of business activity and prosperity is near at hand.

WHAT to ask for in the way of seasonable dress designs is shown in the April issue of the Butterick Fashion Sheet, now ready at B. Bailey &amp; Co. The Delineator is out for April.

## CHICAGO MARKETS BY WIRE.

Mr. Lindblom's Letter.

Chicago, March 11.—[Special]—It is some satisfaction to know that no advice has left our office for the past two days which would have lost money. We feel pretty sure that wheat will sell at 71 before we have any material rally and if we have spring like weather as now promised, there is no telling what it will do. Nothing but an actual declaration of war can pull the market; that much is sure.

R. BERT LINDBLOM.

Mr. Hibbard's Letter.

New York, March 11.—[Special]—The government report of the results of wheat in the hands of farmers reveal why the wheat shipments over the granger roads has been so light. The reserves are only 785,000,000 bushels against 123,000,000 in March 1, 1896. The visible supply being 44,000,000 against 64,000,000 bushels the total supply of wheat in the country visible and invisible is 131,500,000 against 187,000,000 last year a decrease of 55,000,000. Under such circumstances it is doubtful whether the wheat shipments can show any improvement till the new crop is harvested. The government crop report issued consequently favors wheat at the expenses of railroad earnings for the spring months.

E. C. HIBBARD

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Opening.	High.	Low.	Close.	
May Wheat....	74 3/4	72 1/2	72 1/2	
July Wheat....	71	71 1/2	69 1/2	
May Corn....	24 1/2	24	24 1/2	
July Corn....	25 1/2	25 1/2	27 1/2	
May Oats....	17	17 1/2	17	
July Oats....	18	18 1/2	18	
May Pork....	\$8 32	\$8 45	\$8 25	\$8 35
July Pork....	8 42	8 50	8 42	8 47
May Lard....	4 12	4 12	4 12	4 12
May Short Ribs....	4 45	4 45	4 45	4 45

Liverpool cables cables 1/2 penny lower.

Minneapolis and Duluth receipts: Wheat 328 cars. Put-in-Car 73%. Curb 72%.

Chicago Car Lots: Wheat, 2, corn, 103, oats, 170, Chicago hogs estimated for tomorrow, 20,000.

## No Danger at Cincinnati.

Cincinnati, March 11.—Serious apprehension was caused here Tuesday by a thunder shower early in the evening which gave three-quarters of an inch of rainfall in a very short time. It was feared that similar rains in Kentucky and West Virginia would make an Ohio River flood inevitable. The shower here turns out to have been local and the indications point to not more than fifty-two feet in the Ohio River, which, while repeating the overflow of the lowlands, does not reach the point where very great inconvenience will follow. The river is rising at the rate of three inches an hour and was 48.2 at 9 o'clock.

## Express Runs Into a Freight.

Wyckliffe, Ky., March 11.—At 1:20 o'clock Wednesday the St. Louis express on the Illinois Central, northbound, collided with a freight train at East Cairo, Ky. Fireman Walter Rogers of the express sustained fatal injuries, both legs being crushed off. The mail car and engine of the express train were demolished. The engine left the track and ran into the depot, the telegraph operator, Godwin Boaz, having a narrow escape from death.

## Jackson's Case Nearly Ended.

Frankfort, Ky., March 11.—Gov. Bradley Wednesday began reading a 3,000 page record in Scott Jackson's case. Jackson's attorney, L. J. Crawford, came into town last night and saw the governor about filing a brief today and requested him to read the whole record in the Jackson case. This will require several days. No papers in Alonzo Walling's case have yet arrived. There is an intimation that Jackson's brief contains something that will result in a respite for Walling.

## New York Strikes Still On.

New York, March 11.—There is practically no change in the shirtmakers' strike. Several hundred men returned to work Wednesday, but an equal number went on strike. Within the past week 1,000 of the employees have had their requests granted. Two hundred laundrymen are on strike out of sympathy for the shirtmakers. A settlement of the cloakmakers' strike seems to be as far as ever away. The strikers are badly off for a leader, and it is thought things will come to a head Monday.

## Cubans Menace Sancti Spiritus.

New York, March 11.—A Havana cable to the New York World says there is a rumor that Sancti Spiritus is cut off, and that the rebels are about to attack it. The place is 300 miles from Havana, and no communication by wire is possible.

## Royal Arcanum Session Ends.

Streator, Ill., March 11.—The grand council of Illinois, Royal Arcanum, closed its seventeenth annual session here Wednesday night. Officers were elected for the ensuing year. The grand council will meet in Rockford next year.

## Weyler's Plan to Get Recruits.

Havana, March 11.—Capt. Gen. Weyler has ordered all the regular Spanish troops to abandon the towns in which the merchants and landed proprietors do not provide, free of cost to the government, three volunteers for every government soldier of the garrison.

## Aurania Reaches New York.

New York, March 11.—The steamship Aurania of the Cunard line, two days overdue, arrived at her dock Wednesday night, and an hour afterward discharged her passengers, all of whom united in declaring that the voyage was one to be remembered.

Spectator Shot by Police.

Chicago, March 11.—While attempting to arrest Otto Reimann, who, it was alleged, tried to rob the bicycle store of Von Lengerke & Antoine, No. 277 Wabash avenue, shortly after midnight this morning, a posse of policemen and detectives shot and probably fatally injured Al Zierman, a prominent resident of Cleveland, O., who was on his way to Carson City.

## Total Population of Hawaii.

Washington, March 11.—Ellis Mills, United States consul-general at Honolulu, has furnished the state department with the results of a census just taken in Hawaii, showing a total population of 109,020. The Hawaiians head the list with 31,019; Japanese next, with 24,407; Chinese third, with 21,616, and the Portuguese fourth, with 15,191.

## Famine and Smallpox in Cuba.

Havana, March 11.—Financial distress is most acute throughout the island. Famine is ravaging the small towns of the provinces of Pinar del Rio, Havana, and Matanzas. Smallpox is also increasing at an alarming rate, and most of the victims die.

## Another American Liberated.

Washington, March 11.—A cablegram was received at the state department Wednesday from United States consul McGarr at Cienfuegos saying another American citizen, Antonio Suarez del Villar, has been liberated.

## Servian Reserve Called Out.

Belgrade, Servia, March 11.—The entire army reserve and both classes of the militia have been called out in detachments. The reason given is that they are to undergo maneuvers in March and April.

## Excuse Rates to Carson City for the Great Fight.

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway will sell round trip excursion tickets to Carson city, Nevada at \$7.50 on March 12 and 13, good for return until March 25 on account of the Corbett and Fitzsimmons prize fight. Short line via Omaha. Electric light vestibule trains. Leave Janesville 6:30 p.m.

## Relief in Six Hours.

Distressing Kidney and Bladder diseases relieved in six hours by "NEW GREAT SOUTH AMERICAN KIDNEY CURE." This new remedy is a great surprise in account of its exceeding power in removing pain and inflammation from the kidney, bladder, and every part of the urinary passages in male or female. It relieves retention of water and pain in passing it almost immediately. If you want quick relief one cure is your remedy. Sold by E. B. Helmstreet, druggist, Janesville, Wis.

## FOR RENT.

FOR RENT Seven-room house on Cornelia 2d ward. Enquire at 158 Cornelia St. In good repair. Nicely located.

NO. 3 La Vista flats, Kent's block will be for rent April 1.

FOR RENT Furnished rooms without board 203 Prospect avenue.

## FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A good double work harness. Inquire of J. H. Burns East Milwaukee street.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Two good business chances. But little money required. Will take city property. D. Conger.

FOR EXCHANGE—Ten acres of fine land near the city. What have to trade? D. Conger, room 7 Lappin block.

FOR SALE CHEP—if taken soon—One of the finest homes in the city. Inquire at 209 Center avenue, city.

FOR SALE—A ye-aring Jersey bull. Enquire of George Hawthorn.

FOR SALE, at a Bargain—F. H. Kemp's new house, in the Second Ward. D. Conger.

FOR SALE Two boilers suitable for factory work. Inquire at this office.

FOR SALE—The Herrington lots numbers 155 and 157, Locust street. M. M. Phelps.

## WANTED.

NOTICE—If you have Western or Southern lands, improved farms, cities, village or personal property of any description, list it with me and I can dispose of it for you. D. Conger.

WANTED—Salesman; salary paid weekly, permanent. Brown Brothers Co., Chicago.

WANTED—By young man attending the school—place to work mornings and evenings and Saturdays for board. Valentine Bros.

WANTED—Modern house, good location, moderate rent. Would take possession May 1. Pay in advance. A. W. H., 215 West Milwaukee street.

The Boston Store

## THIS WEEK ONLY.

4 packages Reid, Murdock & Co's New England Prepared Buckwheat for ..... 25c

Minnesota Patent Flour ..... 95c

Apple Blossom Flour (our own brand) ..... \$1.05

Superior Extra Fine Patent Flour ..... 1.15

Happy Home Flour ..... 1.05

Jelly, per pail ..... 29c

10 Bars Kirk's Soap ..... 25c

7 Bars Santa Claus Soap ..... 12c

Phoenix Baking Powder ..... 10c

Fancy Lemons, dozen ..... 5c

Raisins, pound, loose Muscats ..... 6c

Fancy Turkish Prunes, 5c pound ..... 6c

Japan Rice, pound ..... 5c

# CARS WILL RUN IN SHORT ORDER

Street Railway Line Will Be  
Rebuilt.

OWNER BLABON MAKES FU-  
TURE PLANS.

Work Will Probably Be Begun As  
Soon As the Frost Is Out of the  
Ground—Power House Location Is  
not Selected—Superintendent Mark  
Cummins Will Remain In This City  
—Made Inspection of Property  
Today.

The Janesville Street Railway is to  
be rebuilt.

Before the frost is entirely out of  
the ground, work will commence, and  
a line that will be a credit to a city of  
this size, will be the result.

George W. Blabon, the principal  
owner of the road, accompanied by  
Attorney John Roberts, arrived in the  
city last evening from Philadelphia,  
and are quartered at the Myers House.  
Mr. Blabon is a man of some sixty  
years of age, and a very pleasant gen-  
tleman to meet. This morning Mr.  
Blabon, accompanied by his attorney,  
Superintendent Cummins, James Shear-  
er and Alderman McKey took a  
trip around, and Mr. Blabon was given  
his first opportunity of seeing the spot  
where his money went up in smoke  
when the barns burned.

Line Will be Rebuilt.

"I am here for the purpose of mak-  
ing a personal investigation," remark-  
ed Mr. Blabon. "Although I will  
say that the line will be rebuilt, I can  
tell you more about it tomorrow.  
There is one thing certain," continued  
Mr. Blabon, "I have already sunk  
\$25,000 right here in Janesville."

Attorney Roberts, in speaking of  
the matter, said that a road that  
would be a credit to the city would  
soon be in working order, and equip-  
ped with the latest improvements.

The only question in doubt now, is  
the location of the power house. Mr.  
Blabon says he is not in favor of re-  
building the present power house for  
several reasons. There is not enough  
room, the land is leased by the St.  
Paul railroad company and the build-  
ing is too small.

The most favored spot are the lots  
in the Spring Brook addition that have  
been donated. Other locations have  
also been offered.

Supt. Cummins To Stay.

Superintendent Cummins will re-  
main and run the road and his ser-  
vices have been secured at an advance  
in salary. His good work has been  
highly commended by Owner Bla-  
bon and Attorney Roberts.

The St. Paul company wish them  
to locate near the gas house, while  
the Northwestern would like to have  
them build near the pumping station  
on South River street. When the road  
starts, Mr. Blabon says, economy will  
be practiced and on the patronage will  
depend much in the future.

At 4:30 o'clock this afternoon Mr.  
Blabon said that there was little  
doubt but what the power house  
would be erected at Spring Brook—  
at the corner of Eastern avenue and  
the Beloit road—if arrangements for  
a spur track could be made with the  
Northwestern railroad company.

## MR. ENNIS WAS ACQUITTED.

The Jury Found Him Not Guilty Last  
Evening.

The jury that heard the case  
of the state agent against Ennis in  
the municipal court yesterday, last  
evening brought in a verdict of not  
guilty. It is said that at first all but  
one man voted a "guilty" ballot and  
that the other five came over to him.  
Some of the witnesses did not recall  
the testimony given on the examination.  
One man swore on the examination  
that he had bought alcohol  
and another that he bought whisky,  
but neither "could remember."

Olaf Gilbertson, one of the wit-  
nesses, was committed for contempt  
of court. Further action is likely to  
be taken in the case.

## SOME Y. M. C. A. NEWS NOTES

J. F. Atkinson is Assistant Secretary—The  
Basket Ball Game.

The Y. M. C. A. Ladies' Auxiliary  
will serve a committee tea at the  
building tomorrow evening, at 6:15.  
The board of directors and committees  
will meet to take over and plan the  
work. It is expected that F. E. An-  
derson, the state secretary, and H. A.  
Moehlenpah of Clinton, will be pres-  
ent. Also John T. Atkinson, of Shope-  
ire, the new assistant secretary.  
The basket ball game played last night  
in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium be-  
tween the high school team and the  
Y. M. C. A. was won by a score of 6 to  
16 in favor of high school.

## BOUND BY THE TIE OF LOVE.

Wells-Norton.

Mrs. Julia F. Norton of Footville,  
and Arthur G. Wells of this city, were  
married at 109 West Milwaukee street  
last evening by Rev. Dr. Sabin Hal-  
sey.

\$1.47 Shoes Go Fast.

The last two days we have put out  
many pair of those \$1.47 shoes, but it  
is no wonder any lady who gets a  
pair of them can consider she has a  
genuine bargain. Not a pair of them  
cost us less than \$2.25 wholesale, but  
we can't help that, we must have  
more room for the large spring stock  
that is coming. Richardson's.

## A COLUMN OF LOCAL GOSSIP.

\$1.47 at Richardson's.  
GREAT sale of bibles at Sutherland's.  
Shoes for ladies \$1.47 at Richard-  
son's.

AND the street cars will soon roll  
again.

MR. BLABON is evidently a man of  
his word.

Fish are below water in prices at  
Sanborn's.

New lot of pineapples in today at  
Sanborn's.

Get your fish for Friday's dinner at  
Sanborn's.

LITTLE Midget sweet pickles at  
Sanborn's.

NICE lemons 15 cents a dozen at  
Sanborn's.

\$1.47 ladies' special shoe sale at  
Richardson's.

500 needed point carpet tacks for 5  
cents at Sanborn's.

STRICTLY fresh eggs only 12½ cents  
a dozen at Sanborn's.

The April fashion sheets are in. J.  
M. Bostwick & Sons.

\$1 for a \$7.50 enameled shoe, S. &  
G. make at Richardson's.

A. RICHARDSON, an old resident of  
Spring Valley, is dead.

HAND made fine stock shoes going  
at \$1.47 at Richardson's.

MRS. PATRICK WARD, a well known  
resident of Orford, is dead.

MONEY to loan on real estate without  
commission. S. D. Grubb.

The punishment in cases of perjury  
is confinement in states prison.

FRIDAY fish dinners don't cost much  
if you get your fish at Sanborn's.

GREAT sale of our spring styles of  
wall papers at Sutherland's Book store.

W. W. HYZER's residence is now  
connected with the telephone circuit.  
The Royal Neighbors meet tomor-  
row evening at Liberty hall, at 7:30  
o'clock.

WANTED—Modern house for small  
family, May 1. Address at once.  
Gazette.

ALL the nice oranges you want 10  
cents a dozen, 3 dozen for 25 cents, at  
Sanborn's.

EIGHT bars of any five of the be-  
known brands of soap for 25 cent. at  
Sanborn's.

ONE pound box fancy citron, orange  
and lemon peel only ten cents a box  
at Sanborn's.

FANCY fresh lake white fish 3 cents  
per pound and trout 7 cents per pound  
at Sanborn's.

BICYCLE—Headquarters for medium  
and high grade bicycles at Suther-  
land's book store.

SPECIAL sale of ladies \$3, \$3.50 and  
\$4 shoes, over 20 different styles, \$1.47  
a pair at Richardson's.

OUR loss on each pair of those \$1.47  
ladies shoe is somebody gain. The  
bargains are real. Richardson's.

FRESH green goods received this  
morning, lettuce, radishes, celery, choice  
varieties. Sanborn & Co.

LADIES are admiring those new lace  
curtains we have just received, don't  
miss examining them. Bort, Bailey &  
Co.

LADIES who love shoe bargains  
are in clover at Richardson's during  
\$1.47 shoe sale we are having. Rich-  
ardson.

THE Ladies' Aid society of Court  
Street M. E. church meet at the par-  
sonage, 201 Bluff street, tomorrow af-  
ternoon at 3 o'clock.

If your grocer does not keep Pearl  
White or Vienna flour and refuses to  
send them to you you can get them  
at the mill. J. M. Shackleton.

THOSE ready made skirts are selling  
rapidly, ladies are interested in them.  
Don't fail to see them. No old stock.  
All this year's goods. Bort, Bailey &  
Co.

THE young men of the Baptist  
church will serve a hot biscuit and  
maple syrup supper at the church par-  
lor tomorrow evening. Fifteen  
cents will pay the bill.

MC CALL Bazar patterns are being  
fast recognized by women who have  
always used high priced patterns, as  
the best m de. Try them and you'll  
easily learn why they're best. The  
new April patterns are here. J. M.  
Bostwick & Sons.

THE Butterick fashion sheets for  
April just received by Bort, Bailey &  
Co., is crowded with novelties and  
shows many beautiful designs for  
seasonable garments. Come and get  
a fashion sheet for the asking and if  
you have time, just spare a little of  
time to take a peek a some of the pretty  
novelties in dress goods just opened.

GEORGE A. WARREN has a clipping  
giving Mrs. Ida H. Burnham's account  
of winter life in South Dakota. Mrs.  
Burnham tells of snow four feet on  
the level and says houses and barns  
are buried to the eaves. A drift 100  
feet wide, 250 feet long and 18 feet  
deep hides the county hospital and a  
tunnel 60 feet long and wide enough  
to drive through has been dug.

150 Barrels of Sugar.

Has been used up in my candy  
kitchen before I learned the secret  
how to imitate the celebrated Alle-  
gric chocolate. Now I have solved the  
problem and am making them even  
better than the originals. The price  
is only 10 cents per pound. People  
say they are the best ever introduced  
to the trade. You would say so if you  
tried them. Spivak

Eggs For Breakfast.

Or dinner or supper you can afford  
to eat them any time at  
12½ cents a dozen for strictly  
fresh eggs. We can give  
you all you want at that price.  
Sanborn & Co.

## MARTIN IS NABBED

### AT PRISON DOOR

#### EX-CONVICT'S HOPES QUICKLY SHATTERED.

After serving two years on a charge  
of burglary, he is rearrested by the  
sheriff as he walked from Waupun Penitentiary—in jail here  
all day.

John Martin "had the blues" as he  
sat on a bed in a cell in the Rock county  
jail today, and meditated on the  
uncertainties of life. Two years ago  
Martin was sent to Waupun for two  
years for a burglary committed at  
Darlington.

For twenty-four months he made  
shoes faithfully, and figured on the  
day that he would be set free—March  
11, 1897.

At seven o'clock this morning, the  
prison door at Waupun, swung open,  
and Martin stepped out into the air.  
Almost before he had taken a full  
breath, however, a man stepped forward.

"Martin, I want you," said a man  
as he tapped the ex-convict on the  
shoulder. "I am Sheriff Bennett of  
Darlington."

Martin was "staggered." He was  
brought to Janesville this morning  
and locked up, and the 6:10 train this  
evening will take him back to Dar-  
lington, where another charge con-  
fronts him.

#### TWO WOMEN OVERCOME BY GAS

Mrs. O'Gara and her sister are found unconscious in bed.

Two women were found unconscious  
as the result of inhaling coal gas at  
the home of Hugh O'Gara, on South  
High street, this morning, and as one  
of them has been ill for some time past  
the consequences may be serious. The  
victims of the unpleasant experience

were Mrs. O'Gara and her  
sister. The two women occupied  
the same bed last night. Mrs.  
O'Gara wishing to be near the invalid  
in case she should need attention dur-  
ing the night. When Michael O'Gara,  
a son, arose this morning, he found  
both women unconscious in bed. Dr.  
J. F. Pember was called, and the la-  
dies were soon on the road to recov-  
ery. A leaking stove was responsi-  
ble.

#### MAN WHO JUMPED GETS \$1,500

Groat Damage Case Ends With a Verdict  
For Plaintiff.

In Judge Bennett's court at Monroe  
yesterday afternoon, the jury in the  
case of Simon Groat against the Illinois  
Central Railroad Company, brought in a verdict of \$1,500 in favor  
of the plaintiff.

GRATUITOUS damages for \$2,000 damages for  
injuries received by jumping from a  
train, and was represented in court by  
Fethers, Jeffris, Fifield & Monat of this city. The plaintiff said he  
boarded an Illinois Central train  
and that while it was running at a  
rate of about twenty-five miles an  
hour the brakeman rushed in and told  
the passengers to jump for a collision  
was at hand. Groat started to jump  
from the train and was injured. B.  
J. Stevens and P. J. Clawson appeared  
for the defendants, and it is said that  
the end is not yet.

#### BEYOND THE CARES OF EARTH.

Miss Maggie Conway.

MISS Maggie Conway died at the  
home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs.  
John Conway, 119 Lincoln street, at  
12:30 o'clock this morning, aged  
twenty-nine years. Miss Conway had  
only been sick since last Friday, but  
her disease, pneumonia, did its fell  
work in spite of all efforts to conquer it.  
She was a very estimable young  
woman and was a universal favorite.  
Her four sisters, Sister Monica of the  
Sacred Heart Convent, Chicago; Miss  
Nellie Conway of St. Paul; Kate and  
Jennie Conway, and two brothers,  
Michael Conway, late of South Africa,  
and Joseph Conway, together with her  
parents, were with her when she  
breathed her last.

#### Do You Like Fish?

SANBORN has always sold a  
great lot of fresh and salt fish  
each week, but during the  
past week or so he has more  
than doubled his sales. You  
can always depend on the  
fish he sells as being the best  
to be found, and at present  
prices are so low as to make them the  
cheapest meat one can buy. Look for  
his list tonight.

#### Laughable Use of "Again."

The little word "again" once threw a  
large assembly into fits of laughter. It  
was at a public meeting in New  
York. One of the speakers, Rev. Mr.  
R., had the misfortune, when he tried  
to take a seat, to miss his chair and  
come down at full length on the plat-  
form. The accident occasioned not a  
little subdued mirth. When at last it  
came his turn to speak, the presiding  
officer introduced him in these words:  
"The Rev. Mr. R. will again take the  
floor." The reverend gentleman never  
met with so enthusiastic a reception as  
greeted this announcement.—Argonaut.

#### ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure.

Celebrated for its great leavening strength  
and healthfulness. Assures the food against  
all and all forms of adulteration common to  
the cheap brands.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

#### Apologetic.

Customer—You don't know how to  
shave. You'd make a good butcher.  
Barber—Say, do you know you're in-  
sulting me? Customer—Am I? Well,  
I'll take that back. You'd make a bad  
butcher.—Roxbury Gazette.

#### DR. BILL,

The Charming—

CELIE ELLIS As

Mrs. Horton.

Supported by a company of first class players.

Prices 25-

## COSTUME BALLS.

Russian and Spanish Fashions Popular  
For Fancy Dress.

Costume balls, always popular in Paris, have received a new impetus here, where they have always been rather exceptional. Why they are not more frequent it is hard to tell, unless indeed one accounts for it by the fact of the self consciousness of most American men, who are apt to feel that they are making idiots of themselves when they appear in fancy dress. Women



FANCY COSTUME.

are ready enough to don the attire of other ages, for they are accustomed to fripperies and are not incommoded by them, but where a ball is in question men must be considered, as they form an important element in the affair. Men of the Latin races are not in the least troubled by a sense of the unfitness of fancy costume, but take to it with all the ease of dramatic instinct.

Unlimited as is the variety of costume from which to choose—historical, national and fanciful—it would seem that fashion pure and simple had nothing to do with the matter; yet, curiously enough, its influence is felt even there. At one time a certain class of dress will prevail at fancy balls, at another time another class, with no perceptible reason for it. Just now Russian costumes of all kinds are much in demand, as are also Spanish ones. A year or two ago Chinese attire was chiefly favored.

In fancy costumes there are some pretty feminine editions of masculine characters—Harlequins, Pierrettes, etc. These, which are characteristic, are more effective than representations of seasons, flowers and the like. Rather a clever idea was shown in a costume worn by a young girl at a fancy ball in Paris. It represented, in a somewhat irregular but still a recognizable way a Paris postman. The short skirt of black satin was bordered with a band of red velvet, on which the word "Postes" was placed in gold letters. Several letters were fastened flat upon the skirt, while at each hip was a wing. The tight, double breasted bodice of black satin was cut in a V, with revers of red velvet. The short, full sleeves had red velvet cuffs, and there was a wing on each shoulder. The black cap had a red plume; black high boots were worn, and a black box was slung across the shoulders.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

## EVENING COSTUMES.

**Thin Coverings For Delicate Throats.**  
Gown of Lettuce Green.

For women who attend strictly to their social duties low cut gowns are an absolute necessity, but it sometimes happens that the wearers suffer from colds, neuralgia or grip, and it is a real hardship for them to expose the neck and shoulders to the air of even a well warmed room. At first thought it may seem absurd to say that a single, flat thickness of gauze or



EVENING GOWN.

tulle will obviate the inconvenience, but such is really the case. There is a great deal of protection in even the sheerest, thinnest fabric. A necklace alone is better than nothing as affording a certain degree of shelter for a delicate throat. If a bit of tulle is basted around the edge of a low cut dress and is gathered up to the neck under a band of ribbon, the wearer will not be likely to take cold unless she is unusually delicate. It may be suggested here that before appearing in a low cut bodice it is well to rub the neck, chest and arms with alcohol, as there is then less danger of contracting a chill. As there is at present almost always some sort of a sleeve the arms are usually sufficiently sheltered.

There is also something to be said concerning evening wraps. The short ones are gayer and more youthful looking and do not crush the light costume beneath, but they are not sufficiently warm for wear in cold weather. The cold air creeps under the edges and up the hollows of the folds, reaching and chilling the bare arms and shoulders beneath. Long evening wraps are far preferable on this account, and if they are made of soft but light material there is little danger that the gown will be injured by them, especially as they are only worn in a carriage.

An illustration is given of an evening gown of lettuce green broche silk. The tablier is framed by three plaited bands which are caught together on the left side by a coque of silk. The bodice is fitted at the back and draped in front, the fullness being fastened by a silk bow at the left side of the decolletage. The full epaulets of broche silk are bordered by a band of white silk, guipure de venise, finishing the edge of the decolletage. The belt is of darker green satin embroidered with pearls.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

## FOR LITTLE FOLKS.

## A BIRD THAT WORKS.

**A Mexican Siskin That Has to Earn Each Meal Before He Gets It.**

In the bird store at 240 Sixth avenue, New York, there is a tiny bird, a Mexi-

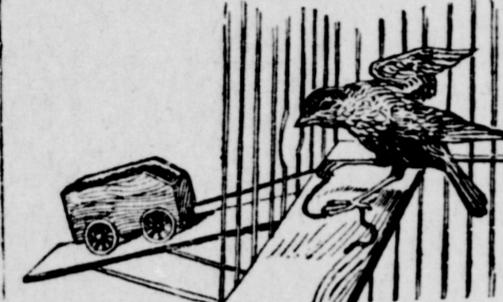


canskin, that has to work for its living. It is a very intelligent bird, and it seems to be fond of hard labor.

One thing is very pleasant about the work the bird does, and that is that it can never get hungry while performing it. The work, indeed, consists of eating and drinking.

When the siskin wants to drink, he cannot reach the water holder like any other caged bird. He has to draw water from a well by means of a tiny oaken bucket, and then, planting his feet upon the slack of the bucket cord, he holds the bucket in place so that he can drink.

And when he wants to get at the seeds which are housed temptingly in a little wagon outside of his cage, the siskin has



learned to pull the wagon up an inclined plane to the bars of his cage. He keeps his feet on the cord until he has had his fill, and then he allows the wagon to roll back to its place out of his reach.—New York World.

## Bubble Football.

Some of you who are expert bubble blowers will find much fun in bubble football. Sounds queer, doesn't it? Of course you don't kick the bubbles, but you blow them about just as the rush line of a football team forces the ball down the field.

Cover a table with an old shawl or other woolen cloth, and at one end set up two sticks about a foot apart with flags on top of each. At the other end of the table your bubble blowing operations are to be conducted. Of course you have put a little glycerine in the suds to make the bubbles tough, and now each of the players has a pipe ready. Bubbles are blown and allowed to float down and light on the shawl. Then each player begins to blow his bubble gently toward the other end of the table and between the two goal sticks. It is very exciting fun. If two or more bubbles come into collision, up they go, and the players who are blowing them must withdraw from the game. The boy or girl who is lucky enough to blow a bubble between the two goal sticks wins the game. Four or five play the game best, but even if there are only two they will find it lots of fun. The footballs, of course, are very delicate, and they must be blown about very gently.—Chicago Record.

## A Brave Little Girl.

Just one more kiss for good night, mamma; Just one more kiss for good night, And then you may go to my dear papa, And—yes—you may put out the light, For I'll promise you truly I won't be afraid, As I was last night. You'll see, 'Cause I'm going to be papa's brave little maid, As he told me I ought to be.

But the shadows won't seem so dark, mamma. If you'll kiss me a little bit more, And you know I can listen and hear where you are.

If you only won't shut the door, For if I can hear you talking, I think It will make me so sleepy, maybe, That I'll go to sleep just as quick as a wink And forget—to cry like a baby.

You needn't be laughing, my mamma dear, While you're hugging me up so tight, You think—I am trying to keep you here, You and I guess—the light.

Please kiss me good night once more, mamma,

I could surely my promise keep

If you'd only stay with me just as you are,

And kiss me till—I go to sleep.

—San Francisco Examiner.

His Version.

One evening the boys' cooking class at an industrial school had a lesson on eggs, including an omelet. John McK. was particularly interested, as he had a few hens in the yard at the back of his miserable home in a tenement house. He asked many questions and carefully wrote out the recipes. The next time he came in he swelled with importance and announced that he had made "one of them egg ornaments at home, and it was first rate too."—American Kitchen Magazine.

## A Hard Question.

Little Margery has just begun to go to the kindergarten and is filled with a due sense of the importance of her studies there and the solemn value of the attainments that have thus been put within her reach. The other afternoon, after coming home from school, she remained in a brown study for a time and then said, "Mamma, do I know as much now as I don't know?"—Boston Transcript.

## No Need to Learn.

"I'm afraid you'll never know how to write, Tommie," said his teacher sadly.

"Don't care," said Tommie. "Uncle Jim is going to send me a typewriter for my birthday!"—Harper's Round Table.

## COLDS.

Munyon's Cold Cure cures colds in the head, colds on the lungs, old colds, new colds and obstructive colds, and all forms of grip. Stops sneezing, discharges from the nose and eyes, prevents catarrh, diphtheria, pneumonia and all throat and lung troubles. These pleasant little pellets are absolutely harmless, have saved thousands of lives and prevented much sickness. Price, 25¢.

## MUNYON'S

Improved Homeopathic Home Remedy Company put up a separate cure for each disease. At all druggists, mostly 25 cents. Guide to Health free.

Personal letters to Professor Munyon, 1135 Arch street, Philadelphia, Pa., answered with free medical advice for any disease.



ELY'S CREAM BALM is a positive cure. Apply into the nostril. It is quickly absorbed. 50 cents at Druggists or by mail; samples 10c. by mail.

ELY BROTHERS, 56 Warren St., New York City.

## A FEW BARGAINS

## IN MISFIT GARMENTS!

## AT THE

## Kneff &amp; Allen Store.

One fine blue black Granite Cutaway Coat and vest, size 44, made to order price \$18 was \$30; take them now for..... 18

One light colored and weight Scotch Sack Suit, size coat and vest 37; pants, 33x32; made to sell for \$20; take them now for..... 17

One gray pinhead check Worsted Cutaway Coat and Vest, size 34, made to order price \$5; take them now for..... 15

One black Cheviot Cutaway Suit; size of coat 35 pants 22 1/2 x 32; made to sell for \$28; take them now for..... 18

One black Diagonal Cutaway Coat and Vest, size 41 1/2; made to order price was \$28; take them now for..... 18

One Scotch Gray Pants and Vest; size vest 43; pants, 43x31 1/4; made to order price \$12; take them now for..... 7

One Gray Striped Cashmere Pant, size waist 38, length 32; made to sell for \$5.50; take them now for..... 3

One fine light Olive Kersey Overcoat, size 44; made to sell for \$30; take it now for..... 20

One Gray Striped Worsted Pant, size waist 35 1/2; length 35 1/2; were made for \$9; take them for..... 5

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**ELIZABETH LLOYD FIELD.**  
Leading Member of the Society Formed  
to Aid Florence Maybrick.

Elizabeth Lloyd Field, the talented wife of Dr. George W. Field of London, is spending the winter in Boston with her son, Master Kingsley Field. Mrs. Field is a fluent writer. For many years she has been one of the leading members of a society formed for the release of Florence Maybrick. Imbued with a strong love of country, which has



strengthened with each year of her life abroad for 25 years, Mrs. Field has lived a life of self renunciation in London. In her own homesick heart she has borne the sufferings of her compatriots and done much to alleviate them. Her social position in England is of the highest, but Mrs. Field's life has been devoted to her husband and children, and she has found little time until recently to give to literary work.

Now and again articles have appeared from her brilliant pen, both in England and America. But for the most part she has given her time to the conscientious discharge of her home duties. Elizabeth Lloyd Field is the daughter of Richard Lloyd of Boston. Her grandfather, Robert Lloyd, came over from England in 1812, leaving large estates in Yorkshire. Mrs. Field will return to England in the spring. The portrait reproduced is from the Boston Home Journal.

**Lettuce Cream For the Face.**

The milk juice of the lettuce has always been highly esteemed by French women for its healing qualities as a cosmetic.

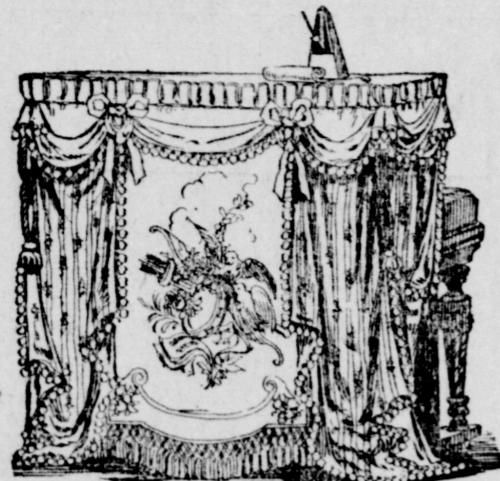
To make a perfectly wholesome lettuce cream pour a quart of boiling water over half a peck of the full grown outside green leaves of several heads of lettuce. After the lettuce has stood a moment drain off the water and chop the lettuce fine. Put it in a clean towel and wring out all the juice that can be extracted. Only the dry pulp will be left in the towel.

**VARIOUS NOTES.****Air and Sunlight For the Hair—Pointed Toed Shoes.**

Princess costumes are very much liked and are more and more worn, especially for ceremonial occasions. On the other hand, there is also an increase of favor shown to skirts of mousseline de soie, gauze and crepon, gathered at the waist, for evening costumes. This is a fashion peculiarly suitable for young girls, being simple and juvenile in effect.

The hair is too often kept continuously confined in a close coil or braid, being loosened only for the few minutes which are occupied in combing and dressing it. Air and light are beneficial to it, and it ought to be allowed to hang free occasionally. This relieves the strain and pressure which come in one place and from one direction all the time and allows the air to circulate among the roots. Sunshine is also good for the hair, especially for light hair, which is rendered brighter by it.

Pointed toed shoes are still in vogue in spite of the attempt to introduce those cut



PIANO DRAPERY.

off in a sharp square at the tips. The latter did not take the public fancy at all, and it still clings pertinaciously to the exaggerated point. Is it possible that there is to be a revival of the mediaeval fashion of shoe points so thin and long that they will be required to be fastened up by chains?

Coats are lined very unservicably just now, for fashion demands that the lining be of light colored silk. Sky blue or pink silk linings are often seen in cloth coats for ordinary wear, and all the flowered silks are also used for this purpose. The checked and changeable ones are more suitable and give a better effect to an eye skilled at discerning the fitness of things. It is a very bad thing to drape a piano if it is intended for use, because drapery deadens the sound and converts the instrument into a mere piece of upholstery. People will do it, however, and the illustration shows the newest way of arranging the drapery. The piano is very properly placed with its back to the room, and a flat panel embroidered with musical designs is drawn across the back. On either side is a drapery of flowered silk, edged with fringe and caught up with cords and tassels. Around the top is a valance of the same silk draped with bows.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

**WOMEN AS HOUSEHOLDERS.****The Summer Home Ideas as Women Develop It.**

In these days of increasing feminine independence there are continually new developments displayed in the life and conduct of the unnumbered woman. A few years ago it was a fad among teachers, artists and other women who have their summers more or less free to themselves to buy an abandoned farm and house and convert them into a warm weather resort, where they could feel at home and unhampered by such restraints as surround hotel and boarding house life. These farmhouses were sold at a small price and were fitted up by the purchaser with all the stray bits of furniture she could beg from friends who were interested in the establishment. Now evolution has progressed another stage, and the independent woman buys a piece of land in some agreeable country district and builds a cottage to suit herself instead of taking somebody



WALKING GOWN.

else's leavings. Prices are so much lower now than they used to be that this is not a serious enterprise, and the pleasure of placing the interior arrangements and contriving novel effects of finish and decoration at a small cost is alone almost worth the expense of undertaking such a scheme. Moreover, there is a chance for the thrifty householder to turn an honest penny by taking congenial friends to board for a few weeks in the summer—friends who will not expect formal dinners and difficult entertainment, but will be glad of a little freedom from conventionality and a quiet season in pleasant but unexciting companionship. There are so many women now, both unmarried and widows, who are earning their own living comfortably that the summer house idea has already a number of adherents and is very satisfactory in its results.

Today's illustration shows a costume of tobacco brown cloth. The skirt is laid in wide tufts from the foot up to half its height. The vest of cream cloth is covered by a bolero of tobacco brown cloth, draped in front by a knot at the bosom. The revers of cream cloth, embroidered with applications of brown cloth, form coquilles. The close sleeves are Shirred lengthwise and have small, draped puffs at the shoulders. Frills of lace finish the neck and wrists. The hat of tobacco brown straw is trimmed with velvet and ostrich plumes to match, bouquets of violets being arranged at either side and under the chin behind.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

**A Woman D. D.**

The Rev. Dr. Augusta J. Chapin of Chicago has returned from a year's travels in Europe and is now visiting friends in Boston. She is an alumna of the University of Michigan, and is said to be the only woman upon whom has been conferred the degree of doctor of divinity.

As a clergyman she has made a creditable record in the various parishes she has held in Iowa City, Ia.; Lansing, Mich.; Pittsburg; Aurora, Ills.; Omaha and Chicago. She is devoted to her profession and declares that, with all her experience behind her, if it were hers to choose her vocation anew, she would still be a minister.

**Mrs. St. John's Appointment.**

Mrs. J. St. John of Olathe, Kan., has been appointed a member of the board of regents of the Kansas State Agricultural college by Governor Leedy. The position pays per diem and mileage amounting to about \$1,200 a year. Mrs. St. John, who is the wife of ex-Governor St. John, is the second woman to be appointed on a state board in Kansas.

**Trust.**

"Harold," she said, almost in a whisper, "am I the first girl you ever kissed?"

"You are," he answered, with eager earnestness.

"I believe you," she replied, looking him full in the face.

"Sincerity must command confidence."

"Yes," she went on, with a far-away look in her eyes, "sincerity must ever show for itself with those who think. And the amateur is always sincere. You are the most inexperienced kisser I ever encountered." —Detroit Free Press.

**Willing to Be Generous.**

The blonde felt that somehow the proprieties had been violated.

"Do you think it was exactly good form," she asked, "to kiss your brother before me?"

The blonde looked surprised.

"If you wanted to kiss him first," she said, "why didn't you say so? It wouldn't have made any difference to me, and I know Jack never would have objected." —Chicago Post.

**Two Phases.**

"When Nan was engaged to Jack she didn't get enough sleep because she had to lie awake and think how much she loved him."

"Well?"

"And now their engagement is broken she doesn't get enough sleep because she has to lie awake to hate him." —Chicago Record.

**His Specialty.**

"Has your son any especial talent?" asked one man.

"Yes," replied the other; "I think he's an inventor."

"Has he invented many things?"

"Yes; most of them reasons why I should give him money." —Washington Star.

**No Bird.**

Editor—You live in a boarding house, don't you?

Paragraphic Serf—I do.

Editor—How is it we never get any tough spring chicken jokes from you?

Paragraphic Serf—They can't afford chicken where I board. I write hash jokes.—Philadelphia Press.

**A Friendly Offer.**

Lawyer Goodly—What's wrong, old chap?

Uglimugge—I won a kiss from Miss Purtsert on election; she won't pay up.

Lawyer Goodly—Never mind, old man; I'll collect it for you.—N. Y. Truth.

**A Poser.**

Mr. Walker—Yes, I seem to have a curious taste. It is very strange, but if I think a girl pretty everyone else is sure to think exactly the reverse.

Miss de Muir (after a pause)—Do you think I am pretty, Mr. Walker?—Nuggets.

**They Stay Single.**

"As a rule," said Henry Peck, "bachelors are a despicable class."

"But why?"

"Because they profit by the misfortunes of their idiotic brothers who marry." —Philadelphia North American.

**Doctors' Ways.**

"But, my dear, you positively must follow my directions. You must take an ice-cold bath every morning."

"Why, doctor, that's just what I am doing."

"Oh—er—well, then you must stop it." —Fliegende Blätter.

**Wouldn't Have Let Go.**

The tale that Atlas held the earth All knowing folk must scoff; If he had had it in his grip He would have lugged it off. —Chicago Record.

**LITTLE DANGER.**

Auntie—So you want a penny to buy candy. Don't you know that sweets are bad for the teeth?

Little Toddler—Egg, but I've only got two.—Philadelphia Press.

**His Sacrifice.**

"What will you give up during Lent?" The person asks. With few regrets I answer, since my cash is spent:

"I guess I'll give up paying debts." —Chicago Times-Herald.

**Useful in One Way.**

"Does your poetry pay?"

"Well, it just keeps the wolf from the door."

"I suppose you read it to him." —Philadelphia Bulletin.

**After the Elopement.**

Bride—Here is a telegram from papa.

Groom—What does he say?

Bride (reads)—Do not return and all will be forgiven.—Philadelphia Press.

**In No Danger.**

"They say Weaknee has been wandering in his mind lately."

"Well, he's safe enough; he can't get far." —Harlem Life.

**Not Worth While.**

Brooks—You haven't called on Miss Lovelty.

Tommy Huggum—Not since I broke my arm.—Town Topics.

**Fully Accounted For.**

Ella—My husband says he thinks of me morning, noon and night.

Stella—You must be doing your own cooking.—N. Y. Tribune.

**Refused to be "Written Up."**

A great many people noted with surprise the small amount of biographical matter printed about "Gail Hamilton" at the time of her death. As a fact, very few newspapers had any extended obituary on file, and it was difficult to obtain the necessary material. The reason for this can be explained by an extract from a hitherto unpublished letter of Miss Dodge, written by her to a Boston acquaintance when the latter, in fulfilling his duties as newspaper correspondent, wrote to her for a brief history of her life. These were her words in reply: "In declining to furnish you with material for a sketch of my life for publication, I act not from caprice, but on unvarying principle. Every person has a right to his own privacy. What he himself puts before the public in book or periodical belongs to the public, which has full right to read, reject, criticize. But his personality belongs to himself. To violate this law of private right is an outrage. I deprecate no severity of literary criticism, but I resent, and so far as possible, repel interference with private right. There are many persons, perhaps, who feel differently. If any such choose to be biographized during life, their taste may be questioned, but the biographer is guiltless. I object to it utterly." —Critic Lounger.

**A Snake's Long Journey.**

A black snake, measuring six and a half feet in length and five and a half inches around the largest part of its body, was found coiled around the axle of a Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern boxcar in the company's yards at Jeffersonville, Ind., the other morning. The snake was first seen in the Cincinnati yards by Conductor Cole several hours before and an effort was then made to kill it, but the reptile crawled into a hole leading to the hollow part of the wheel attached to the axle and was lost from view. The snake made the trip from Cincinnati to this city, a distance of 120 miles, and did not seem in the least disturbed thereby. —Chicago Chronicle.

**Not at His Level.**

Mr. Richard Harding Davis says he doesn't "look down" on newspaper writers. We should think not. He isn't in a position where he could, by looking in that direction, get sight of any newspaper writer of average ability. —Providence Journal.

**Satan's Little Joke.**

"Say," said the gentleman just from purgatory, who had dropped in to see what he had missed, "say, this ain't so bad." "Yes," said Satan, with an air of the successful manager, "we are giving a pretty hot show." —Cincinnati Enquirer.

**DANGEROUS SURGERY.**

**Death Follows the Surgeon's Knife—Not the Surgeon's Fault, of Course—He Can't Help It—You Can.**

**Pyramid Pile Cure Cures Piles Quickly.**

People go along for years suffering with piles. They try this and that and the other thing; from carrying buckeye to getting treatment from a physician. They obtain temporary relief, maybe, but they are never quite cured. A little strain in lifting, excessive fatigue, a little constipation or a little diarrhea and the piles come back.

They don't seem to amount to much, but they banish sleep and appetite. No position is comfortable. There is intense local pain and that dreadful feeling of weight in the perineum.

Maybe in the early stages some of the many salves on sale will afford temporary relief. If the case is of long standing there is only one sure and sure remedy. It is Pyramid Pile Cure. Even in light cases it is the safest thing to use. Other applications may cure and may not. Pyramid Cure is always certain, always reliable, always brings comfort at once. Its prompt use saves months of severe suffering. In extreme cases it will save surgical operations and their attendant dangers and discomforts. It is better than knife. Will cure easier, quicker and safer. Thousands have used it. Thousands have been cured by it. The cost is trifling compared with what it does. The price is 50 cents. Most anybody would gladly pay ten dollars to be rid of piles.

Druggists sell Pyramid Pile Cure. If yours hasn't it he will get it for you from the Pyramid Drug Co., of Albion, Mich. (soile manufacturers.)

Dated, Feb. 18, 1897.

By the Court,  
J. W. SALE,  
County Judge.

ANGIE J. KING, Attorney.  
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SATE OF WISCONSIN—COUNTY COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the county court to be held in and for said county, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the third Tuesday, beginning the 16th day of March, 1897, at 9 o'clock a.m., the following will be heard and considered:

The application of Elizabeth Fulker to admit to probate the last will and testament of John A. Fulker, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased.

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Fancy Lake White Fish,	8c per lb
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	Salt Fish.
Fancy new fat Mackerel,	5c lb
" Bloater Mackerel, large,	15c lb

### Smoked Trout,

10c lb; 3 for 25c.

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" Large family Whitefish,  
5c lb

" No. 1 Whitefish, 10c lb; three lbs.

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[Large and nothing finer to be had.]

" No. 1 Portland Herring,

5c lb

" Strip Codfish,

10c lb

" Smoked Halibut,

15c lb

" Smoked Whitefish, 10c lb.; three lbs.

25c

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